

COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Aug. 4.—The market this morning was quite brisk. Flour in fair request, with sales of extra at \$12 1/2; Family in moderate demand; low grades Super dull. For good qualities of Wheat there is an active demand, but indifferent is dull of sale; no strictly prime or choice offered; sales of 1500 bushels red at 215, 220, 247, 250 and 255 for common to prime. Corn in fair demand, with sales of 1450 bushels mixed at 125; yellow in small lots brought 117. Oats quiet at a decline; sales at 78. Very little Rye offering, and good would have commanded 140.

The Wool Market.

The market still continues dull, with rather an increase, however, in the sales of fleeces. Manufacturers are not disposed to stock up heavily, and the small amount they have bought in the West enables them to keep out of the Eastern market, and this will certainly be their policy till the goods market is better developed than at present; and although wool is sold at very low figures, yet there is no disposition whatever, either East or West, to speculate in wool.

Coarse and medium wools are in the most request—that is in proportion to the amount required. Fine wools move slow, and at very unsatisfactory rates. It cannot be considered that there is any real tone to the market for any kind of wool except common. The domestic is taken up as quick as it comes, and the Canada is in great demand; very little is offered. A large quantity has gone to England, a large amount the Canadians have bought, and large work is being done upon the market at prices offered; 67c should be the price here for Canada wool, to enable the dealer to take 25c gold in Canada, and 42c for New York and Michigan, and 38c for Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin.—U.S. Economist.

State Bonds and Stocks.

[QUOTATIONS IN RICHMOND YESTERDAY.]
Virginia ex-Coupons.....44 1/2
Virginia New Bonds.....45 1/2
Virginia Registered Bonds, new, 1895.....43 1/2
Virginia Registered Bonds, new, 1897.....42 1/2
O. & A. R. R. 1st m'ge Bonds.....75
Do do 2d do 6 per ct Bonds.....72
Do do 3d do 8 per ct Bonds.....82 1/2
Va. & Tenn. R. R. 1st m'ge 6 per ct Bonds.....70
Do do 2d do 8 do do.....65
Do do 3d do 8 do do.....65
Rich & Potomac R. R. 7 per ct Bonds.....78
Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac R. R. dividend Bonds, 6 per cent.....70
Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac R. R. Bonds, 7 per cent.....75
Southside R. R. guaranteed Bonds.....62 1/2
Do do not guaranteed Bonds.....35
N. & P. R. R. Bonds, 7 per ct.....75
Do do do 8 per ct.....85

The New York Daily Bulletin's review of the markets of that city for the last week, says: "In the general markets there has been a fair amount of business. Cotton has declined. Breadstuffs have been irregular and flour has advanced a dollar per barrel. Sugar toward the close was active, but other groceries comparatively dull. The dry goods market is very quiet. In the corresponding week of 1897 cotton advanced a cent, breadstuffs were unsettled, provisions declined; coffee was quite active, and the dry goods trade was dull with the exception of some purchasers by jobbers."

At New York, yesterday, gold opened at 145 1/2 and closed at 146, having sold up 1/2 during the day. Gold was lending at 1 1/2 to 3/4 per cent. The speculation in gold excited much attention, but no particular cause is assigned for the rise beyond the ability of the bull speculators of the Gold Room—increased by their recent success—to control the market while money is so very easy.

MARINE LIST.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—AUG. 4, 1898
SUN RISE.....5 44
MOON RISE.....7 9
SUN SET.....18 5
HIGH WATER.....9 8

Port of Alexandria, Aug. 4.

ARRIVED.
Steamer E. C. Knight, Denty, New York, to H. C. Winslip.
Brig Alice M. Putnam, Atwood, Baltimore, to Boyce & Co.
Schr. Maggie, Jefferson, Jefferson, Washington, to Boyce & Co.
Schr. Redington, Gregory, Baltimore, to Boyce & Co.
Schr. Eva Adell, Eaton, Baltimore, to American Coal Co.
Schr. Rebecca, Smith, Philadelphia, coal to J. Leatherland.

CANAL COMMERCE.

TUESDAY, August 4.
Arrivals—Central Ches Embry, Victor Cushman, Rainbow, to Central Coal Co. Boats A Main, Alex Walsh, to American Coal Co.
Departures—James O. Lytle, John W. Bales, Wm J. Boothe, Shenandoah, W. H. Wilson, J. Vandervoort—for Cumberland.

LOOSE.
A GRAND EXCURSION
OF
POTOMAC LODGE, No. 38, to CARLIN'S
ON MONDAY, August 10, 1898.

The members of Potomac Lodge respectfully inform their friends that everything will be done to make this excursion equal to their former efforts, and invite the cordial co-operation of the public.

Trains will leave the A. L. & H. Depot at 8 and 10 a. m. and 1 p. m.
Leave Carlin's Springs at 10 a. m. and 1 p. m. and 11 p. m.

Tickets, admitting a Gentleman and Lady, \$1; Lady, 50c; Children, under 12 years of age, 25c.

THE SOCIETY'S CELEBRATED COTTILLION BAND is engaged.

Our friends from the District of Columbia will be enabled to return in the 7 p. m. boat. Refreshments furnished by Mr. Carlin.

Marshals—Hugh Latham and John A. Field, Aug. 4—5.

(Conn. Ad. Jour., Wash. Ex., Wed. Fri. Sat.)

CHOICE READING RECEIVED THIS MORNING AT THE FRENCH'S BOOK AND STATIONERY DEPOT,

No. 95, King street.

The Crown of Wild Olive, Three Lectures, by John Ruskin, M. A. 1 vol., 12mo. \$1.

Sesame and Lilies, by John Ruskin, M. A. Price \$1.

Time and Tide, by John Ruskin, M. A. \$1.

Under Two Palms, by Ouida, \$2.

Randolph Gordon, by Ouida, \$1.75.

David, the King of Israel, a portrait drawn from Bible history and the Book of Psalms, by F. W. Krummacker, D.D.—a fresh supply. Price \$1.75.

"Sense" and "Nonsense," Brick Pomeroy's New Books—a fresh supply. \$1.50 each.

Just received to-day another lot FRENCH INITIAL NOTE PAPER, entirely new styles and designs—a beautiful article.

Lots of new Books other than the above just to hand and constantly receiving.

G. E. FRENCH.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE STOCK AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS.—On FRIDAY, August 28th, 1898, at 10 a. m., as Assignee in Bankruptcy of E. H. Delahay, I will sell at public auction on the premises, all the STOCK AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS, consisting of HORSES, WAGONS, CATTLE, HAY, &c., &c., on the tract of land in Fairfax county, Va., recently occupied by said Delahay, and situated on the Little River Turnpike, about 4 miles from Alexandria, Va., and adjoining the Potomac River, formerly known as "Cloud's Mill." Terms at sale, S. FERGUSON BEACH, Aug. 4—eod.

ASSIGNEE.

FRESH DRUGS, &c.

Sulphuric Acid, Sweet's Spirit Nitro, Ether, Chloric Acid, Acetate Potash, Acetic Acid, Citric Acid, Flor Sulphur, Peruvian Bark, Epsom Salt, Super Carb Soda, Refined Borax, Aqua Fortis, Camphor Oil, very superior Salicylate Oil, best English Mustard, Cayenne Pepper, pure Ground Black Pepper, Ginger, Allspice, &c., &c., received and for sale by

aug 4 COOK & KELLEY.

LOCAL ITEMS.

ODD FELLOWS.—The members of Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows propose making an excursion to Carlin's Springs on Monday next, the 11th instant. Doubtless this excursion will be attended by large numbers, as those heretofore made by the Potomac Lodge have always proved most agreeable affairs. It will be remembered that the Potomac Lodge contributed \$100 last winter towards supplying the poor of the city with fuel, and it is hoped that the proceeds of the proposed excursion will increase considerably the amount in the treasury of the Lodge—so that it may be enabled to enlarge the scope of its present laudable charities.

MOTIVE POWER.—The wood burning passenger engine, Nelson, built at the Rodgers' Locomotive Works, in Patterson, New Jersey, previous to the war, and rebuilt at the workshops of the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas Railroad Company, in this city, under the supervision of Master Machinist James E. Wadley, is now under repairs, having, during the last twenty-five months, while in charge of Engineer A. S. Woodward, run a distance of 81,729 miles. This beats the account of the locomotive on one of the railroads running into New Orleans, published some days ago.

COAL TRADE.—Dispatches from Cumberland, this morning, state that the companies engaged in shipping coal there have agreed to the demands of the boatmen, and that the strikers have commenced loading coal at the rates of \$1.50 per ton to tide water, which is an advance of 20 cents per ton. The coal companies were forced into measures in consequence of the pressure of existing contracts and of the heavy demurrage they had agreed to pay in order to secure shipping freight. Boats from Cumberland may be expected here in large numbers about the close of the week.

ROBBER.—A German, a stranger, stopped, with his baggage, (a hand trunk), last night, at a house in the western end of the city, and paid for his night's lodgings. During the night he created a disturbance in the house and was ejected, and his trunk thrown out after him. His baggage being heavy, and the rain coming on while he was walking down King street, he stopped under the shelter of an awning, and took a nap there, while asleep his person was robbed of a watch and his pocket-book, and his trunk carried off. No clue as yet has been discovered that will point to the thief.

LONG BRIDGE.—Several weeks will elapse, it is thought by those familiar with such matter, before the extensive repairs now in progress on the Long Bridge will be completed. The improvements now to be made will be so thorough that future interruption to travel will be rendered almost impossible. Every facility for the completion of the work within the time specified has been perfected. The regular passage of railroad trains is, of course, not interfered with, as the railroad company has a special structure of their own, which is in good order.

STOLEN WAGON RECOVERED.—On Saturday night last Mr. Garner, of Fairfax county, stopped his wagon before a grocery store, on Royal street, and went into the store to make a purchase. As soon as he had left his wagon, it was driven off by unknown parties, but the night watch having been informed of the theft, all the avenues of egress from the city were at once guarded, and about four hours afterwards the stolen wagon was found at the corner of King and Royal streets.

THE EXCURSION TO-MORROW.—The Catholic Sunday School Excursion which was postponed from last week, takes place to-morrow, and as the weather cleared up to-day early enough to allow the grounds to dry, the children and their friends will have a delightful time. The excursions of this school are always well conducted and well attended, and those of our citizens who want a day of recreation cannot do better than to go.

MILITARY DECISION.—The case of Golden against King, for the recovery of a horse belonging to complainant, captured in Loudoun county by the Federal troops, during the war, and afterwards sold at a Government sale to defendant, which has been before the Courts of this county for some time past, has been decided by General Stoneman, who has confirmed the title of the defendant.

A COLORED DESPERADO.—Frank Turner, the colored desperado mentioned in the Gazette some days since, is still at large, and yesterday made another assault upon his wife, against whom he has conceived a mortal aversion. He goes armed to the teeth, and swears eternal vengeance against any one who may attempt his capture. It is thought the police will effect his arrest in a day or two.

THE WEATHER.—A heavy rain commenced falling last night about 11 o'clock, and continued at intervals during the night and the early morning. The late propitious weather has greatly improved the appearance of the corn fields in this neighborhood, and hopes are entertained of a large crop of that cereal.

MEMORIAL FESTIVAL.—The festival in progress at Lowe's Building, corner of King and Henry streets, for the benefit of the Groveton Ladies' Memorial Association, attracts nightly large numbers of the young ladies and gentlemen of the city. An agreeable hour or two can be spent there every evening.

PERSONAL.—Major John Ludlow, the lately deceased Mayor of Norfolk, arrived in this city to-day, on his way to the Virginia Springs.

POLICE REPORT—MAYOR'S OFFICE.—Arthur Winters, a colored boy, for striking and abusing Emma Prior, a colored girl, was dismissed upon the payment of costs.

MAGISTRATES' OFFICE.—John Piper and John Robinson, two colored men, arrested on the charge of stealing poultry from Mr. John Phillips, were examined and discharged, at complainant's cost.

Timothy Rarity, on complaint of Elizabeth Washington, colored, for an assault on her boy, was discharged, and costs of the case assessed against complainant.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of John McCarran, charged by his wife with a violent personal assault upon her.

COUNTY COURT.—In the case of Henry Red, colored, charged with horse stealing, in progress when the Gazette's report of the Court's proceedings closed yesterday, a verdict of not guilty was rendered, and the Court discharged the prisoner.

This morning a duplicate account against the Commonwealth, of Constable T. J. Edelin, was ordered to be made.

Administration on the estate of Deborah Dyer, deceased, was granted to John W. Campbell, and an appraisal of the estate ordered to be made.

Administration on the estate of J. D. B. DeBow, deceased, was granted to Richard W. Gaillard.

Ford and wife, vs. Davis—in chancery. Exceptions to the report overruled, and it was ordered that Albert Stuart, Commissioner in this cause, pay to the Commonwealth, or its Attorney, the sum of \$70 62, ascertained by a report to be due from the estate of Peter Davis.

John Moore, colored, for stealing a cow from S. V. Boyd, was found guilty and sentenced to five years imprisonment in the penitentiary.

S. V. Boyd, W. T. Fowler, and Chas M. Skipper were allowed \$2, each, as witnesses in the above case.

The case of Alfred Lane, colored, charged with the murder of the late Patrick Gaffney, was then called, and witnesses were being examined when this report closed, at 3 o'clock this evening.

RIVER EXCURSIONS.—Excursion parties, from Washington and this city, visited Glymont, the White House, and Mount Vernon yesterday. They were all accompanied by bands of music, and the river, during the night, was resonant with sweet sounds.

UNMAILABLE LETTER.—Among the letters advertised as remaining in the postoffice at Richmond for want of the proper stamps, is one directed to James Noland, Alexandria, Va.

MOSQUITOES.—We have had the annual advent of mosquitoes this season—but not, we believe, in such numbers as in some former years. We wish them a speedy exit.

FOR THE SPRINGS.—The passenger trains on the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas Railroad daily go out crowded with people on their way to the Virginia Springs.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Indians—Pacific Railroad.

WASHINGTON, August 4.—A dispatch from Thomas Murphy, Superintendent of Indian Affairs, dated at Ellsworth, Kansas, yesterday, states that everything has been satisfactorily arranged with the Arapahoes, Kiowas, Apaches and Comanches Indians, and that no further trouble is anticipated.

The Commissioners of the Central Pacific Railroad report a section of twenty miles, terminating 178 from the initial point at Sacramento, in good working order. The President has therefore ordered the bonds and patents for lands due on account of said section, to be delivered to the company.

Communication with China—Sailing of the U. S. Minister.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 3.—The steamer Japan sailed for Yokohama and Hongkong to-day, inaugurating a monthly line of steamers between San Francisco and Hongkong. She took out 272 passengers, merchandise valued at \$90,000, and \$878,000 in treasure.

J. Ross Browne, the American minister to China, Chas D. Poston, Commissioner of the Agricultural Department, and Baron Richtshefer, geologist, are among the passengers.

The press of the Pacific Coast unanimously endorse the appointment of Mr. Browne, for the China Mission as possessing many qualifications which will assist him in rendering valuable services to the United States.

Baron Richtshefer, intends making geological researches in China.

Suicide—the Ohio River &c.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 4.—John Bauman committed suicide yesterday, by shooting himself through the head.

The recent rise in the Ohio river has brought out all the first class packets. The double decker America, and the General Little of the U. S. Mail Line, resumed their trips between Cincinnati and Louisville yesterday.

Financial.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—Consols, 94 1/2 for money; 94 1/2 for account; U. S. 5-20s 71 1/2.

London, Aug. 4.—U. S. 5-20s 71 1/2.

New York, Aug. 4.—Stocks unsettled.

Gold 46 1/2; Money 3 1/4 to 4 per cent; Exchange 9 1/2; Old bonds 14 1/2; New bonds 8 1/2; 10-40s 8 1/2; Virginia 6s (new) 53.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 4.—Virginia 6s, old, inscribed, 45 1/2 bid; 45 1/2 asked; do. 1860, 42 bid; do. 1867, 42 bid; do. Coupon (old) 54 1/2 bid; do. Coupon (new) 53 bid.

Commercial.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 4.—Cotton opened heavy at the closing prices of yesterday. The sales are estimated at 8,000 bales. Provisions and breadstuffs are unchanged.

New York, Aug. 4.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 30. Freights quiet. Flour 10a 20c better. Wheat 2 1/2c better. Corn 10a 2 1/2c better. Pork steady; mess \$28.68. Lard steady at 15 1/2c.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 4.—Cotton dull; middling uplands 20c. Flour active and higher; Howard street brands nominal, but little on the market; City Mills suppers 9 50a; 75c; do. extras 11a; 12 50c; do. family \$13 75; North-western suppers 7 50a; extra 8 50a; 9 50c.

Wheat firm; prime red 24 1/2c. Corn dull; prime white 130. Oats dull and unchanged.

Provisions firm and unchanged.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND.

By authority of a decree of the County Court of Fairfax county, rendered at the term, 1898, in the suit of E. R. Ford vs. Margaret Reed, the following tract of land is offered for sale, to-wit: MONDAY, the 20th day of July, 1898, at 10 o'clock in front of Fairfax Court House, sell the TRACT OF LAND, formerly the property of said Margaret Reed. This land lies near Wolf Run, nine miles southwest of Fairfax Court House, adjoining the lands of the Washington, and of the Prince and Royal sts., and contains 86 acres and 125 poles.

TERMS—One fourth of the purchase money in hand; the residue in three equal installments payable at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, and a retention of the title until the last payment is made. Stamps and costs of conveyance to be paid by the purchaser.

THOMAS MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale.

POSTPONEMENT.—The above sale is postponed until the 17th day of AUGUST next, at the same hour and place. Jy 27—lawts

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR RENT.
For a term of 7, 14 or 21 years, THIRTY ACRES OF LAND and Machinery for making Drain Tiles of all Patterns, Chimney Pots, Bricks, &c., &c. Located on the Bank of the Alexandria Canal between Alexandria and Washington. Machinery: Portable five horse power Steam Engine, Pug Mill, Pipe making Machinery, Moulds, Brick Press, &c., &c., and Circular Saw attachable to the Engine. Apply to GREEN & WISE, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, aug 1—eod

FOR RENT.
The small STORE now occupied by Julius Dineen, on the south side of King street, west of Pitt. For a sear store or any such business it is a first rate stand. Possession can be had 1st August. R. H. MILLER, 65, King st. Jy 20—eod

FOR RENT.
The fine BRICK DWELLING, No. 6, South Water street, formerly the residence of Hugh Latham, esq. In good repair; water and gas. Apply to J. G. VERPLANCK, Jy 6—tf

WANTED TO RENT OR PURCHASE
Agent and small DWELLING HOUSE, in this place. Address Box 149. mh 9-11

ROOMS FOR RENT.—Thirteen rooms for rent over the Assembly Rooms. Apply to my 19 WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

ASSEMBLY ROOMS.
The ASSEMBLY ROOMS have just been fitted up, and are now for rent for LECTURES, CONCERTS, FAIRS, &c. Apply to my 19 WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

EXCURSIONS, &c.

TOURNAMENT AND BALL.

A GRAND TOURNAMENT and BALL will be given by JEFFERSON CIRCLE, B. U. (H. F. C. A.), at CARLIN'S SPRINGS, Alexandria county, on MONDAY, August 17th.

A number of gentlemen from Fairfax, Washington and Alexandria county, have signified their willingness to ride upon this occasion.

Gentlemen who intend riding will please report to Capt. J. Barnes, Fairfax Court House, or leave their names at the Jewelry store of Major George Dudley, 125, King st. Jy 20—td

CATHOLIC SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION.

An Excursion to CARLIN'S SPRINGS will be given by ST. MARY'S SUNDAY SCHOOL, on WEDNESDAY, August 5th.

Trains will leave the A. L. & H. R. R. Depot at 8 a. m. and 1 p. m. and the Springs at 2 1/2 and 6 p. m.

COOK celebrated COTTILLION BAND has been engaged for the occasion, but no round dances will be permitted.

Tickets 50c; Children 25c—to be had of any of the COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

Victor Becker, Isaac K. Lovejoy, John B. Sumners, Richard L. Carne, Jy 20—td

EDUCATIONAL.

ST. JOHN'S ACADEMY.
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

The Thirtieth Session will commence on Tuesday, September 1st, 1898. Two large, adjoining houses, on Prince street, below Alfred, in the best and healthiest part of the city, have just been purchased, and the accommodations for boarders will be greatly increased. Considerable additions have also been made to the library and apparatus.

Board and tuition for session of ten months, \$250, payable quarterly, in advance; there are no extra charges, except for Modern Languages, Music and Drawing. For catalogues, containing further information, address the Principal, 121, Duke street, Alexandria.

TEACHERS.
RICHARD L. CARNE, A. M., Principal, Greek, Latin and Natural Science.
THEODORE H. FICKLIN, Mathematics and English.

AUGUST HENNING, German.
VICTOR BECKER, French.
JOSEPH C. FOEHLSTEDT, Music.
MISS MARY J. STEWART, Drawing. aug 3—td

STANMORE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.
SANDY SPRING, Montgomery county, Maryland.

The Thirtieth Session of this Institution will be resumed on the first of the tenth month, October. Terms: Board, Washing and Tuition, in the English Branches, \$225 per school year.

The Languages, Drawing, and Music extra. For circulars, containing full particulars, address the Principal at Sandy Spring, P. O., Md. C. H. MILLER, Principal.

MARY P. COFFIN, ELLEN PARQUAR.

References—R. H. Miller, Alexandria, Va.; Benjamin Hollowell, Sandy Spring, Md.; Green Springs, Md., Jy 30—eod

GREEN SPRING ACADEMY.

The Eighth Session commences on the second Monday of September. Number of pupils limited to sixteen. The course, besides book-keeping and the usual English branches, embraces Latin, Greek, French, Mathematics and the elements of Engineering. Terms for boarders, \$150 per half session, in advance. Post office, WASHINGTON, D. C.

WELLINGTON GORDON, Principal. Louisia County, Va., Jy 30—2aw6w

WASHINGTON COLLEGE.
LEXINGTON, VIRGINIA.

The next session opens 3d Thursday in September, 1898, and closes 4th Thursday in June, 1899. The Faculty consists of

GEN. R. E. LEE, PRESIDENT, with Professors of Latin, Greek, Mathematics, Modern Languages, Moral Philosophy, History, English Literature and Language, Applied Mathematics, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry and Law and Equity. These are distributed into: 1. Faculty of Arts; 2. Faculty of Science; 3. Faculty of Literature and Philosophy; 4. Faculty of Law. In each of these is conferred a Bachelor's Degree, and the Degree of Master of Arts is open alike to students in each course. In the Department of Science are conferred, also, Professional Diplomas of Civil Engineer and Mining Engineer. By the aid of full corps of assistant Professors, provision is made for thorough drilling in the Government, English, Ancient and Modern Languages and Mathematics.

EXPENSES.—All necessary expenses need not exceed \$325.

For full particulars apply to E. C. GORDON, Clerk of Faculty, Lexington, Va., Jy 25—1m

GIVE NOTICE IN TIME. I am receiving BIBLE'S IMPROVED DIAMOND HEATER, warming three rooms with one fire. I invite all who want to call at 43, King street, and take a look at them. I think, without a doubt, they are the best Stoves out for heating parlors and dining rooms, and also the roots above. I warrant all I put up to give entire satisfaction.

ENOCH GRIMES, 43 King street.

WANTED.—A HOUSE of from five to eight rooms, the premises must be new or in good repair. Gas and Water if possible with Bath room. Good location indispensable. For a house answering the above requirements a liberal rent will be paid, or purchased if reasonable, by a responsible party. Address C. A. B. Washington, Aug 3

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE.
COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 7th Dist., Va., ALEXANDRIA, July 29, 1898.

A variety of property distrained on for taxes, consisting of HOUSEHOLD and STORE GOODS and other personal property, will be exposed for public sale, at the Court House of this city, on the 1st day of AUGUST, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on SATURDAY, the 8th of August at 10 a. m. Jy 28—1m

UNITED STATES SALE.

The following property will be exposed for sale, by public auction, at the Government Warehouse, corner Prince and Royal sts., on the 10th DAY OF AUGUST, 1898, viz:

TWO BLS OF AMPLE BRANDY, non-payment of tax, by law seized for non-payment of tax. T. L. SANBORN, Collector. Jy 31—td

TAKE NOTICE.—Sealed proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, on the 28th day of August next, for the lease of PLUM TREE FISHERY for the term of three or five years.

The Fishery is situated on the south side of the Potomac River, between the mouth of the Neusee Creek, and north of the mouth of the Rappahannock River, and has her